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	EXPLOITATION OF NONFERROUS METALS IN BULGARIA
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	The "Gorubso" (Bulgarian-Soviet Forestry and Mining Association) has increased the membership of its board of directors since the beginning of March. Two members each from Czechoslovakia and Chince the beginning of
	March. Two members each from Gardina attractions since the beginning of
	from Hungary, Poland, Rumania, and the GDR have been added to the old board of directors, which consisted of an equal number of Soviets and Bulgarians.
	With the new composition of the
	which are exploited jointly by the chain of economic enterprises
	by multinational high commissions and which are directed
	Scalinograd: to the explosion in
• * •	national commission directly and the state of the directed by a multi-
	and to the navigation and shipbuilding industry, which likewise operates under a permanent Soviet Bloc commission.
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	oc lies y exploited.
	From 1947 to 1952, the proportion of nonferrous metal output to one out
	of nonferrous metals were product to the state of the sta
	and zinc produced [in Bulgaria] was extracted from the Rhodope mines.
	Until 1952, nonferrous metal-
	in 1952 they were also exported to the other Soviet Bloc countries, especially
	Today, the entire Rhodope area is covered with a network of highways. On these highways, not only 10-, 15-, and 20-ton Pulsarian to the highways.
	these highways, not only 10-, 15-, and 20-ton Bulgarian trucks are seen, but also Czech, Hungarian, Rumanian, and Soviet trucks.
	The Kurdzhali transportation age
* .	in 1952 has become 3,285 percent greater than in 1949, and that in 1952 there were 30 times as many trucks hauling one to the barbon and that in 1952 there
	were 30 times as many trucks hauling ore to the harbor or to the railroad freight station as there were in 1949.

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